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IN THE HIGH COURT OF KARNATAKA AT BANGALORE

Dated this the 18th Day of June 1998

BEFORE

THE HON'BLE MR. JUSTICE CHANDRASHEKARAIHAH

WRIT PETITION NO.18172-18181/1998

Between:

1. Sri.V.Prabhakar,  
S/o.Sri.K.Varadan,  
aged about 27 years,  
residing at No.46,  
2nd Cross, Saibaba Nagar,  
Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.
2. Smt.B.Vijaya,  
W/o.Sri.V.Babu,  
aged about 27 years,  
residing at No.1956/82,  
8th 'E' Main, 2nd Stage,  
Rajajinagar,  
Bangalore - 560 010.
3. Smt.V.Anitha,  
W/o.Sri.V.Vijayakumar,  
aged about 24 years,  
residing at No.1956/82,  
8th 'E' Main, 2nd Stage,  
Rajajinagar,  
Bangalore - 560 010.
4. Sri.A.Keshava,  
S/o.Sri.Alli Muniswamy,  
aged about 51 years,  
residing at No.12/9,  
New Kallappa Block,  
I Main, Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.

5. Smt.K.Krishnaveni,  
W/o.Sri.A.Keshava,  
aged about 46 years,  
residing at No.12/9,  
New Kalappa Block,  
I Main, Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.
6. Sri.K.Deva Kumar,  
S/o.Sri.A.Keshava,  
aged about 24 years,  
residing at No.12/9,  
New Kalappa Block,  
I Main, Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.
7. Sri.V.Prabhakar,  
S/o. Sri.K.Varadan,  
aged about 27 years,  
residing at No.46,  
2nd Cross, Saibaba Nagar,  
Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.
8. Smt.H.Dhanalakshmi,  
W/o.Sri.K.Hariharan,  
aged about 32 years,  
residing at No.150,  
II A Cross, Mahalakshmiपुरam,  
Bangalore - 560 086.
9. Smt.Kalyanammal,  
W/o.Sri.S.Kannappa,  
aged about 62 years,  
residing at No.908,  
9th 'A' Cross, 2nd Stage,  
West of Chord Road,  
Near Mody Hospital,  
Bangalore - 560 086.
10. Sri.K.Hariharan,  
S/o.A.Keshava,  
aged about 22 years,  
residing at No.12/9,  
New Kalappa Block,  
I Main, Srirampuram,  
Bangalore - 560 021.

...PETITIONERS

(By Sri.M.Ram Bhat, Adv.)

And:

1. The Commissioner,  
Corporation of the  
City of Bangalore,  
(Bangalore Mahanagara  
Palike) Corporation  
Offices; J.C.Road,  
Bangalore City,  
represented by its  
Commissioner.
2. Assistant Revenue  
Officer,  
Gandhinagar Range,  
Corporation of the  
City of Bangalore,  
Dr.T.C.M.Roy & Road,  
Bangalore City.

...RESPONDENTS

(By Sri.K.N.Puttegowda, Adv.)

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These Writ Petitions are filed under Article 226 of the Constitution of India with a prayer to direct the respondents to transfer the katha in the name of the petitioners No.1 to 3 in regard to property No.67, 3rd Main Ramachandrapura, Bangalore City after receiving the current taxes.

These Writ Petitions coming on for Preliminary Hearing this day, the Court made the following:-

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Sri.K.N.Puttegowda is directed to take notice for the respondents. Accordingly, he appears for the respondents.

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2.. The petitioners claiming to be the owners of the property bearing Municipal numbers 67, 67/1 and 67/2 situated at 3rd Main Road, Ramachandrapura, Bangalore City, ~~Corporation, Bangalore~~, under a registered sale deeds of even dated 05.12.1996, made an application to the Corporation to effect the katha in their favour. On the said application, the Corporation called upon the petitioners to produce certain documents. It appears, pursuant to the said notice, the petitioners have produced the documents called for by the Corporation. The grievance of the petitioners is that even though the petitioners have furnished all documents which are required to be produced, the respondent Corporation has not considered their application for transfer of katha in their favour.

3. When an application is filed seeking for transfer of katha, the same shall be disposed of

by the authorities in accordance with law. In the case on hand, no steps appear to have been taken by the Corporation to pass order on the application of the petitioners. In the result, I pass the following order.

Writ Petitions are allowed. A direction is issued to the respondents to consider the applications of the petitioners dated 25.08.1997 for transfer of katha and dispose of the same in accordance with law as expeditiously as possible not later than six months from to-day.

Sd/-  
JUDGE



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